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Atty. Dkt. No. 355492-2971

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Richard S. BEIN, et al.

Title: COMPOSITIONS FOR USE IN  
EMBOLIZING BLOOD  
VESSELS COMPRISING HIGH  
LEVELS OF CONTRAST  
AGENT

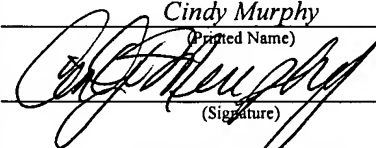
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**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

☒ Amendment (7 pgs.);

☒ Return Receipt Postcard.

☒ The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

|                        |   |                         |                        |   | Extra             |      |          |   | Additional<br>Claims Fee |
|------------------------|---|-------------------------|------------------------|---|-------------------|------|----------|---|--------------------------|
|                        |   | Claims<br>As<br>Amended | Previously<br>Paid For |   | Claims<br>Present | Rate |          |   |                          |
| Independent<br>Claims: | 3 | -                       | 3                      | = | 0                 | x    | \$200.00 | = | \$0.00                   |

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|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------|---|--------|
| Independent | 3 | - | 3 | = | 0 | x | \$200.00 | = | \$0.00 |
| Claims:     |   |   |   |   |   |   |          |   |        |

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| First presentation of any Multiple Dependent Claims: | + | \$360.00 | = | \$0.00 |
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| CLAIMS FEE TOTAL | = | \$0.00 |
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☐ Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:


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| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the first month:  | \$120.00   | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the second month: | \$450.00   | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Extension for response filed within the third month:  | \$1,020.00 | \$0.00 |
| EXTENSION FEE TOTAL:   |            | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Statutory Disclaimer Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.20(d):     | \$130.00   | \$0.00 |
| CLAIMS, EXTENSION AND DISCLAIMER FEE TOTAL:                                    |            | \$0.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):        |            | \$0.00 |
| Extension Fees Previously Paid:  |            | \$0.00 |
| TOTAL FEE:   |            | \$0.00 |

☒ If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0872.

Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

Date November 28, 2006

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2006. The Office Action, in the form of a restriction requirement, set a one month period for response ending November 30, 2006.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: